

3/6/15 – Colorado Federal Executive Board (CFEB)
ALL EMPLOYEE ANNOUNCEMENTS – PLEASE DISTRIBUTE
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CFEB VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Contact Jeff Conn or Gay Page if you are interested in helping organize the following activities.
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MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY

<http://makeadifferenceday.com/>
October 24, 2015

MISSION | On one day each year, we want to inspire the nation to make a difference. Make A Difference Day is the largest single-day of volunteering in the country. No matter who you are or where you're from, everyone has the power to do something that improves the life of another. Whether it's starting a project that helps one person, or working on one that benefits a whole community, every contribution makes a difference.

If we get enough leaders and volunteers, the CFEB Workforce Development Council would like to host projects to help three wounded warriors - in the Denver metro area, Northern Colorado, & Southern Colorado. However, we need your help to make this dream a reality. Please let us know if you would like to help.

If you have an idea for a different community project and are willing to take the lead, please let us know. We welcome all ideas and input!

FEDERAL EMPLOYEE NETWORKING/MEET-UPS

The CFEB Workforce Development Council would like to host some social networking events for federal employees, but we need employees that are willing to plan and lead these events. They are limited only by your imagination and interests! They can include sports activities, i.e., meeting in a park on a Saturday morning to walk your dog, bicycling, running, skiing, snowshoeing, bowling, or meeting up for movies, crafting, volunteering, game nights, book clubs, etc.

If you have a particular interest and would like to meet other federal employees who enjoy the same interest, please let us know. If you set the time and place, we'll advertise and even take registrations for you. This would be a great way to enhance your career by getting to know people in other agencies and learning about their work, while having a great time enjoying one of your favorite activities.

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FEDERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICE RECOGNIZES DIANE HILL

Diane D. Hill, Contracting Officer Representative (COR) for the training program at the Federal Protective Service in Denver was recently awarded the Department of Homeland Security Chief Financial Officer (CFO) Award for Superior Mission Achievement. The program encompasses all aspect of the COR duties involved with the acquisition life cycle. A significant component of this training is the financial duties. Diane has lead the effort to take FPS activities and incorporate real experiences into the training to insure new CORs will be prepared to assume their roles. Diane's knowledge and abilities enabled FPS to take her experience in Denver and prepare people throughout the United States on what the new financial duties of a COR are at Federal Protective Service.

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DENVER ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTANTS (AGA) AWARD NOMINATIONS

<https://sites.google.com/site/denveraga/community-service-events/2015-aga-awards-nominations?pli=1>

The Denver AGA Board is pleased to announce the opening of the nomination period for AGA awards. A listing of awards including nomination criteria is available on the Denver AGA Chapter website. Nominations can be submitted on behalf of individuals or on behalf of yourself. Submissions are requested no later than April 19, 2015 to be considered for award.

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NORTHERN CO SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

NUMBER OF AWARDS | Two (2) \$1,000 scholarships

NOMINATION DEADLINE | March 13, 2015

<http://www.colorado.feb.gov/index.php?content=22&page=NorthernColoradoCouncil>

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – Denver Region SSA's 2015-2016 Regional Management Development Program

Denver Region Social Security Administration (SSA) is soliciting management volunteers at the GS-13 & GS-14 levels to assist them in the interviewing assessment process for their 2015-2016 Regional Management Development Program (MDP) for SSA employees. Those that have assisted us in the past have indicated that the process was a great training opportunity and provided another perspective on how an assessment process is delivered. We have found it to be a win-win for everyone!

- ♦ April 13, 2015 | Assessors Training | 8:00 – 11:30 am
- ♦ April 13-17, 2015 | Interviews | 8:00 am

Respond by March 19, 2015 if interested | Please provide your name, email address and phone number.

Sign up & Questions | Pamela Cotton | 303 844 1941 | Pamela.Cotton@SSA.GOV

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MARCH CALENDAR

OPM REDI KICKOFF EVENT

March 9, 2015 | 12:00 pm (MST) / 2:00 pm (EST) | Watch it Live | www.opm.gov/REDI

Please join US Office of Personnel Management Director Katherine Archuleta and an expert panel on as they introduce OPM's Recruitment, Engagement, Diversity and Inclusion (REDI) roadmap.

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DENVER YOUNG GOVERNMENT LEADERS (YGL) FUN ACTIVITIES

March 10, 2015 | 5:00 – 6:45 pm Brooklyn's | 901 Auraria Pkwy | 7:00 – 9:45 pm Colorado Avalanche Game – Pepsi Center

Join YGL Denver happy hour followed by an Avs Game - Friends and Family welcome. YGL worked with Avalanche to get special pricing on tickets. You can get upper-level center-ice for \$40 which includes all taxes and fees! These tickets are normally \$59. Purchase Tickets here: <http://www.avstix.com/yglden0310> | RSVP to Jarrod Breuer: jbreuer@usbr.gov

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COMMUNITY AWARENESS PROGRAM (CAP)

March 10, 2015 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm | 99 W. 12th Ave, Denver, CO | \$5 each | www.thecell.org
<https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07eah771939a907b87&oseq=&c=&ch=>

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ACT-IAC ROCKY MOUNTAIN BREAKFAST

March 10, 2015 | 7:00 – 9:30 am | The Egg & I | 7830 W Alameda Ave, Lakewood CO | \$25 Members, \$35 Non-members, Free for Government

REGISTER <https://actiac.org/node/14685>

Jeanine Stearman | 858 354 4945 | jstearman@actiac.org | www.actiac.org

The American Council for Technology and Industry Advisory Council invites you to join speaker: Mike Anderson, Vice President of Marketing from ReliAscent and member of the U.S. Small Business Administration's Region VIII Regulatory Fairness Board.

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OPM Western Management Development Center Open House

March 12, 2015 | 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

Byron Rogers Federal Building | 1961 Stout Street, Suite 16-111 | Denver CO 80294

Deanne Stricker | 303 671 1157 | Deanne.stricker@opm.gov

RSVP by March 9th at <http://www.eventbrite.com/o/deanne-stricker-program-coordinator-7898574683?s=32547996>

The celebration will include tours of the new facility, leadership workshops throughout the day, raffles, food and fun!

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VA CBOPC CELEBRATES NATIONAL WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

March 12, 2015 | 10:30 am – 12:00 pm | 3773 Cherry Creek N Dr, #290 | Denver, CO | Free

Rita Flowers-Martin | 303 398 5164 | henrietta.flowers-martin@va.gov

VA Chief Business Office Purchased Care Federal Women's Program celebrates National Women's History Month by presenting guest speaker Allegra "Happy" Haynes as she discusses "Weaving the Stories of Women's Lives"

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FEDERAL CAREER DAY

March 12, 2015 | 11:00 am - 3:00 pm | Auraria Campus, Tivoli Student Union, 320's

900 Auraria Pkwy, Denver CO | \$50 to have a table

Jamie Guilford | Jamie.guilford@ucdenver.edu

Exhibit Hall open | 11:00 am – 3:00 pm

Panel Discussion: Federal Career Exploration | 11:30 am - 12:45 pm

Presentation: Federal Resumes & Navigating USA Jobs website | 1:00 - 2:15 pm

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CRISIS COMMUNICATIONS & MEDIA RESPONSE TRAINING

March 12, 2015 | Thornton Police Department | 9551 Civic Center Drive, Thornton, CO | \$95

Register www.mediatrainers.com

Mark Sullivan | 913 238 2745 | msullivan@mediatrainers.com

The Thornton CO Police Department, in partnership with the Kansas City-based *Center for Advanced Media Studies*, is offering a unique one-day training seminar for your PIOs, media spokesperson, supervisory personnel, or anyone wishing to improve their communication skills.

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FEDERALLY EMPLOYED WOMEN (FEW) EVENTS

FUNDRAISER NIGHT– DFC CHAPTER

March 12, 2015 | 7:00 pm | Denver Pepsi Center | 1000 Chopper Cir | Denver CO

Tickets \$32 | Purchase Online www.avstix.com/few0312

Kerbi Jacobson | 303-887-4839 | kerbifew@gmail.com

FEW fundraiser night with the Colorado Avalanche - Come cheer on the Colorado Avalanche!

ROCKY MOUNTAIN REG TRAINING PROGRAM

<https://www.few.org/training-education/regional-training-program/>

March 20, 2015 | 8:30 am - 4:30 pm | Arvada Center | 6901 Wadsworth Blvd Arvada CO

Deborah McGinnis | 303 293 5073 or 5059 | dmcginnis@osmre.gov

Dawn Benavides | 303 293 5073 or 5059 | dbenavides@osmre.gov

\$160 non-FEW members; \$120 FEW members with agency funding; \$80 FEW members out-of-pocket | Includes breakfast, lunch and workshop materials

Theme: "Career Building through Story Telling" - Finding career inspiration, motivation and best practices through the stories of accomplished employees. The day includes a 2 1/2 hour workshop on personal branding styles and techniques presented by Authentic Universe, LLC.

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2015 DENVER MILITARY & VETERANS EMPLOYMENT EXPO

Register | www.mvee.org | Auraria Campus, Turnhalle Room | 890 Auraria Pkwy | Denver CO | Free | Open to all Active Duty, National Guard & Reserve service members, Veterans, and their Spouses

March 23-24, 2015 | 8:00 am – 4:00 pm | Classes

March 25, 2015 | 10:00 am – 4:00 pm | Expo & Meet Employers

Early Entrance for those who take classes) | 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | 12:00 – 4:00 pm for all others

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FERS RETIREMENT CLASS

March 25, 2015 | 8:30 am – 4:00 pm | USDA Campus | Fort Collins CO
\$130 | ONLINE REGISTRATION REQUIRED | <https://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=247>

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TRIBAL RELATIONS WORKSHOP

March 31, 2015 | Golden Community Center, Golden, CO | Cost is \$295.00, includes book |
Space is limited to 40 participants

This one-day workshop, *“Working In Indian Country: Building Successful Business Relationships with American Indian Tribes”* is being offered in partnership with the Association on American Indian Affairs and LDK Associates, LLC (Working In Indian Country).

Register | www.workinginindiancountry.com/registration-and-scheduling/
Larry Keown | 307 751 0540 | lkeown@ldkassociates.com

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BONFILS PUEBLO CHEMICAL DEPOT BLOOD DRIVE

March 31, 2015 | June 9, 2015 | August 11, 2015 | October 15, 2015 | All – 1:00 – 5:00 pm
Bonfils Bus, adjacent to Building 6 | Pueblo CO
Kathryn Cain | 719 549 4060 | kathryn.cain@us.army.mil

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APRIL & BEYOND

HIGHER EDUCATION DIVERSITY SUMMIT

April 10, 2015 | 8:00 am – 5:00 pm | \$25 Early-Bird | \$35 Standard Registration
Auraria Campus Tivoli Building | 900 Auraria Pkwy | Denver
<http://heds.auraria.edu/conference>
Jeremy VanHooser | 303-556-3022 | jvanhoo1@msudenver.edu

This year's theme is "Who's Sitting Next to You: Diversity Unmasked". A series of workshops, discussion forums, and opportunities for networking have been designed to increase understanding of and appreciation for multiple worldviews.

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MILITARY FATHER DAUGHTER BALL

April 11, 2015 | 5:30 - 9:30 pm | Antlers Hilton Hotel | 4 South Cascade, CO Springs, CO | Cost \$35 for E-5 & below; \$45 all others & \$15 each additional daughter
Register online | <https://www.ppymca.org/register> | type in Military Father Daughter Ball

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DENVER FEDERAL SAFETY AND HEALTH COUNCIL QUARTERLY TRAININGS

April 15, 2015 | 1:00 pm | Topic: Ergonomics | Free
USFWS Mountain-Prairie Region Office | 134 Union Blvd | Lakewood CO

July 16, 2015 | 1:00 pm | Topic: Lockout/Tagout | Free
Denver Joint Electrical Apprenticeship Training Center | 1291 E 54 Ave Denver CO

October 15, 2015 | 1:00 pm | Topic: Office Safety | Free
Rocky Mountain Arsenal National Wildlife Refuge | 6550 Gateway Rd | Commerce City CO

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FEMA L141 COURSE – Instructional Presentation & Evaluation Skills

April 14-16, 2015 **(Registration Deadline 4/3/15)**
755 Parfet Street, Suite 400 | Yellowstone Conference Room | Lakewood CO
FREE | Limited to 30 participants
ONLINE REGISTRATION REQUIRED <https://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=270>

DOWNLOAD TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

<http://www.colorado.feb.gov/index.php?content=87&page=EmergencyManagement>

CONTACT Mike Brinkman | 303 235 4982 | Michael.brinkman@fema.dhs.gov
FEMA Region VIII | Regional Continuity Manager

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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE SEVERE WEATHER SPOTTER TRAINING

April 29, 2015 | 9:00 – Noon | Denver Federal Center | Lakewood CO
FREE | ONLINE REGISTRATION REQUIRED <https://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=274>
TRAINER | Bob Glancy, Warning Coordination Meteorologist, National Weather Service

A trained spotter can help their business or community by providing the early notification of a dangerous weather situation. Spotter training keeps the spotter and family safer when severe weather threatens.

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AMERICA'S PREPAREATHON – NATIONAL DAY OF ACTION

April 30, 2015 | 10:00 am – 2:00 pm | The Webb Bldg Atrium | 201 W Colfax Ave, Denver CO | Free | Register <http://www.DenverGov.org/OEM>
Carolyn Bluhm | 720 865 7698 | carolyn.bluhm@denvergov.org

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MILITARY MOTHER DAUGHTER TEA

May 2, 2015 | 9:30 am - 1:00 pm | Southeast Armed Services YMCA | Community Room A & B | Cost \$25 YMCA Members; \$35 Non-members; \$10 for each additional daughter
Register online | www.ppymca.org/register | type in 2015 Military & Daughter Tea

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WHITE HOUSE SUMMIT

Asian Americans & Pacific Islanders

May 12, 2015 | <http://www.ed.gov/edblogs/aapi/white-house-summit/>

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CALLING ALL RUNNERS & WALKERS

31st ANNUAL FED CUP 5K WALK/RUN

May 16, 2015 – Armed Forces Day | 8:15 am | Denver Federal Center
Register Online | www.RunningGuru.com/Website/FedCup5K | \$16.90 | Race day \$20

Renee Varin Potratz | 303 202 4040 | Renee.VarinPotratz@dcma.mil
Devin Croft | DCtrainer@comcast.net

COLFAX MARATHON

May 16-17, 2015 | GOV CUP RELAY - May 17, 2015 | Sponsored by Kaiser Permanente
REGISTER | <http://www.runcolfax.org/>

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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS TABLETOP EXERCISES | FEMA/EMI

AGRICULTURE EVENT

June 17, 2015 | 9:30 am - 2:00 pm | Lakewood CO
<http://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=236>

LONG TERM OUTAGE

July 8, 2015 | 9:30 am - 2:00 pm | Lakewood CO
<http://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=237>

BUILDING COLLAPSE (Non Earthquake)

August 25, 2015 | 9:30 am - 2:00 pm | Colorado Springs CO
<http://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=238>

Public Health / INFECTIOUS DISEASE

September 2 | 9:30 am - 2:00 pm | Lakewood CO
<http://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=239>

LONG TERM RECOVERY

September 16, 2015 | 9:30 am - 2:00 pm | Lakewood CO
<http://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=240>

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FEW (Federally Employed Women) NATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAM

July 13-15, 2015 | New Orleans LA
<https://www.few.org/training-education/national-training-program/>

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LEADERSHIP GOES TO THE MOVIES

August 18, 2015 | 8:30 am - 4:00 pm
Denver Federal Center | Lakewood CO
\$100 | ONLINE REGISTRATION REQUIRED <https://colorado.feb.gov/register/?ee=269>
TRAINER | Hal Pitt

The CFEB is bringing this course back by popular demand! Grab your popcorn and get cozy because Hal Pitt is taking you to the movies. In this entertaining and informative workshop, you'll discover how to motivate and inspire others to peak performance while learning about leadership from some of your favorite movies. This course addresses the following OPM competencies: Leading People | Leading Change & Integrity | Honesty | Vision | Influencing

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DENVER FEDERAL CENTER TOASTMASTERS CLUB

Tuesday's | 11:30 am – 12:30 pm | DFC Building 56 | Buffalo Bill Room
\$20 initial enrollment fee plus \$36 membership fee and \$36 semi-annually thereafter
Ben Claggett | 303 445 2546 | bclaggett@usbr.gov |
www.damgoodspeakers.toastmastersclubs.org

Join “Dam Good Speakers” Toastmasters Club on the Denver Federal Center and learn how to overcome fearfulness about public speaking, increase self-confidence and personal growth, and improve leadership and communication skills. Club members have a wealth of experience to offer and are there to help co-members become accomplished leaders.

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VAN & CARPOOL

Vanpools needing riders are listed on the CFEB web site

<https://www.colorado.feb.gov/index.php?content=78&page=VanPools>

If you would like the CFEB to add your van or carpool to the web site, email the information to gpage@colorado.feb.gov

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HEALTH DOES MATTER

Healthy Eating on the Go Webinar

March 18, 2015 | 11:30 am - 12:30 pm | More information to follow

Brittany Plaven | 303 844 7333 | brittany.plaven@foh.hhs.gov

BONFILS DFC BLOOD DRIVE

2nd Thursday of each month | 8:00 am - 1:30 pm

Denver Federal Center | Bldg 67 | Hungry Horse Room

SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT | www.bonfils.org (site code is 2015) | 303 363 2300

Betty Palcsak | 303 236-6905 | bpalcsak@usgs.gov

NUTRITION EVENTS

www.kingsoopers.com/healthmatters

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LIGHTEN UP!

You need only two tools in life, WD-40 & Duct Tape

If it doesn't move and should, use WD-40

If it moves and shouldn't, use Duct Tape

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PETS OF THE WEEK

Adopt a pet and save a life

Lincoln | Doberman Pincher | Male | 1 year old
MY FAIRY DAWG MOTHER RESCUE | 720 939 7017 | <http://www.dogrescuecolorado.org/>

Charlie (110404) Chihuahua mix | Male | 3 years old
FOOTHILLS ANIMAL SHELTER | 303-278-7575 | customercare@fas4pets.org
<http://www.FoothillsAnimalShelter.org>

Katalina | Domestic Long Hair | 10 years old
ANGELS WITH PAWS SHELTER | 303-274-2264 | <http://www.angelswithpaws.net/>
<https://www.petfinder.com/petdetail/28969581/>

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

VOLUNTEERS & FOSTER HOMES NEEDED FOR CAT SHELTER

Angels With Paws | 2540 Youngfield St | Lakewood CO
Please contact shelter manager Sondra Bailey | 303 274 2264 |
<http://www.angelswithpaws.net/volunteering/>

VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE

Now until April 15, 2015 | Become a Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) or Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE) Programs | Laurie Morris | 970-554-0445 | Laurie.Morris@morgancc.edu

SISTERHOOD OF THE TRAVELING PETS

Saturdays (year round) | 9:00 am - 3:00 pm | Colorado Springs/Denver
<https://www.facebook.com/sisterhoodofthetravelingpets>
Sassie Skelton | 719 482 0705

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS

<https://www.usajobs.gov/>

Office of Surface Mining Reclamation & Enforcement, Lakewood, CO
Contract Specialist | GS-1102-12
<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/396066300>

Small Business Administration, Denver Finance Center, Denver, CO

Director | Senior Executive Service (ES-0340-00)

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/395759600>

FEMA, Various Locations

Deputy Regional Administrators | Senior Executive Service (ES-0343-00)

<https://www.usajobs.gov/getjob/viewdetails/393932000>

FEMA 2015 Pathways Summer Intern Vacancy Announcement - Nationwide

Administrative and Office Support (Student Trainee) | GS-399-2/3/4/5 | FEMA-15-FF-SUMINT2

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/396181700>

Grants Management (Student Trainee) | GS-1199-5 | FEMA-15-FF-SUMINT5

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/396198200>

Information Technology (Student Trainee) | GS-2299-5 | FEMA-15-FF-SUMINT6

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/396199000>

DOI National Park Service, Washington DC

Equal Employment Manager | GS-0260-15

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/396212400>

FBI National Academy, Quantico, VA

Now accepting applications from Military Officers & Non-commissioned Officers of the Military Police and Military Intelligence specialties to attend the FBI National Academy

<http://www.armytimes.com/story/military/careers/2015/03/03/fbi-academy-courses-2016/24314599/>

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Silver Spring, MD

Strategic Human Capital Division Director | ZA-5 (GS-15 equivalent)

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/396416100>

US Forest Service Region 2

<https://fsoutreach.gdcii.com/Outreach/>

Temporary Positions

https://www.colorado.feb.gov/useruploads/files/usfs_region_ii_temp_position_1-28-15.pdf

HHS, Centers for Disease Control & Prevention, Various Locations

Health Communications Specialist | GS-1001-11/14

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/389721100?share=email>

CIA, Undergraduate Internship Program – National Clandestine Service

<https://www.cia.gov/careers/student-opportunities/ncs-intern.html>

US Census Bureau, Colorado

http://www.census.gov/regions/denver/www/jobs/colorado_jobs.php?eml=gd&utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery

FBI Cyber Careers, Various Locations

www.fbijobs.gov/CyberCareers

Congressional Budget Office, Washington DC

www.cbo.gov/careers

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CFEB EMAIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

To submit information to be included in the announcements, please email it by Wednesday of each week to jconn@colorado.feb.gov in the following format.

Title

Date | Time

Location | 3333 W 32 Ave | Denver CO (no punctuation)

Cost (if applicable)

Brief Description (very short marketing blurb | a couple of bullet points or sentences)

CONTACT Name | 303 333 5555 | email

Website

Recent CFEB announcements are posted on the CFEB web site

<https://www.colorado.feb.gov/index.php?content=10&page=Announcements>

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Have a nice and safe weekend,

Gay & Jeff

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Jeff Conn | CFEB Outreach Strategist | jconn@colorado.feb.gov

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Denver Federal Center | Bldg 810 Room 5014 | PO Box 25567 | Lakewood CO 80225-0567

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